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Though you are bound to win if you die, provided you are insured. ARE YOU?

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Twenty annual premiums and received in annual dividends \$2,564, making the net cost only

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COTTON MARKET.

Cotton is bringing today on the Batesburg Market 1114 as reported by L. D. Cullum.

WEATHER REPORT.

SPECIAL TO THE ADVOCATE FROM STATE WEATHER BUREAU.
Fair to-night and Saturday.

BATESBURG POST OFFICE RULES.

General Office Hours--7 A. M. till 7 P. M. (Sunday Excepted). The general delivery window will be open on Sunday from 12:30 to 1:20 P. M. For one hour only.
J. Frank Kneece, P. M.

PERSONALS.

Dr. David LaGrone, of Wards, spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. A. Crouch.
Miss O. Thompson left on Monday morning for her home at Pendleton.
Mrs. W. P. Plunkett spent Saturday and Sunday in Columbia. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Eunice Courtney.
Dr. T. A. Quattlebaum spent last Friday in Columbia.
Miss Mary Davenport spent several days in Columbia last week.
Misses Eva Mace, Lucy Littlejohn and Isabel Brooker, the teachers in the graded school here, left for their respective homes Saturday. Miss Mace to Marion, Miss Littlejohn to Paelet and Miss Brooker to Swansea.
Prof. J. R. T. Major spent Saturday

in Lexington.

Mr. R. F. Watson, of Greenville, was in town one day last week.

We are glad to state that Mr. McFall Riddell, who was operated on last week for appendicitis is very much improved at this time.

Mrs. N. Rogers Dayly left Tuesday morning for Gaffney, where she goes to attend the graduating recital, of her sister Miss Ruth Cooner.

Misses Missouri and Ruby Glover left yesterday for Grandville, where they expect to spend several weeks with friends and relatives.

Misses Belle Blasinger and Mr. Ryd Song were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rawl Sunday.

Messrs Henry Bell White and Joe Attaway, of Saluda, were in town Tuesday.

Mr. Mose Long, of the Emory section was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. C. J. Post returned to Columbia Tuesday, after a visit to Mrs. J. J. Rawl.

Mr. M. M. Matthews and family, of Leesville, were in town Sunday.

Misses Kate and Bessie Hudgens, two charming young ladies, of Honca Path, are the guests of Miss Mamie Bates.

Miss Lizzie Quattlebaum, of Ridge Spring, spent several days in town last week with relatives.

Miss Daisy Edwards, of Leesville, visited at the home of her brother Mr. M. B. Edwards last week.

Mr. Joe Long, of Mt. Willing, was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Edwards spent Sunday in Leesville.

Mr. L. A. Black, of Leesville, paid Batesburg a business call Monday.

Mr. J. H. Courtney, of Trenton, spent Friday night in town.

Miss Lizzie Cullum visited friends and relatives in Leesville this week.

Mrs. M. F. Harman is spending sometime at Johnston.

Messrs J. D. Crouch and J. W. Cooner attended the picnic at Wards last Friday.

Messrs Ralph Clark, Erskine Long and Messrs Daise and Lillies Hatcher spent Sunday at Mims.

Miss Mamie Bates visited friends at Leesville this week.

Misses Nannie and Effie Gunter spent Sunday at Wagener.

Mrs. J. W. McArthur and children, visited relatives at Gilbert last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Domick, of the Sardin section were in town Wednesday.

Miss Bessie Steadman returned from Ridge Spring Tuesday, after spending a few days with relatives there.

Mr. P. C. Cullum, of Lumber Ridge, N. C. is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Charleston Oswalt, of Samaria, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. J. J. Rawl is real sick at this time.

Miss Ola Berriek, of Leesville, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Domick, of Sardin, was in town Wednesday.

Rev. S. R. Biss and family, of near Sardin, were in town Tuesday.

Mr. Geo. Eldredge, of Dupont, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Watkins, of Ridge Spring were in town shopping Wednesday.

Mrs. H. T. Williams, of Augusta, returned to her home Wednesday after a visit to her sister Mrs. John D. Rawl.

Miss Ruth, of New York, is visiting Miss Kate Cullum.

Misses Lucie Plunkett, Graniteville, and Lucie Simmons, have returned to their home in Greenville after spending sometime with Miss Hattie Bess Cullum.

Mr. H. T. Williams, of Augusta, spent Sunday in town.

Col. John Bell Towill went to Sumter Tuesday to attend the convention of the K. of P's.

Mr. Henry Kneece, of Aiken county, was here Wednesday.

HELLO! HELLO!

Have just received four cars of cotton seed hulls. Will keep a supply all the summer.
F. Kennerly at E. R. Steadman's.

Lost or Stolen.

In the town of Batesburg on Saturday evening, April, 14th., one plush laprobe. Reward if returned to Advocate office.

CLOSING EXERCISES OF THE BATESBURG GRADED SCHOOL.

The commencement exercises of the Batesburg Graded school were concluded in the Opera House on last Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock. The program was as follows:

1. Prayer Rev. E. F. Hodges.
2. Song--Hail Song Chorus Chas.
3. Declaration--Bark Anthony's Oration Curtis Cullum.

4. Essay--The Lost Colony Bessie Quattlebaum.
5. Essay--Stories of the American Revolution Edward Hatter.

6. Recitation The Wedding Eve Lucie Quattlebaum.
7. Dramatization--Execution of Joan of Arc Lucie Quattlebaum.

8. Duet--March With Me--Soprano, Lucie Quattlebaum; Tenor, John and Emma Quattlebaum.
9. Song--The 49th Psalm--The Boys and Girls of the Batesburg Graded School.

10. Recitation--Old Hickory's No. 1 Prayer--Bessie Quattlebaum.

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SION MILLER ESCAPED FROM THE CHAINGANG.

PRISONER UNDER SENTENCE FOR MANSLAUGHTER IN SALUDA MADE HIS ESCAPE SUNDAY NIGHT.

Saluda, May 22--Sion Miller, who with his brother and Russel McCormick were tried here at the October term 1904 charged with the murder of the freedman negro at Long Bridge on Clouds Creek, five miles from Batesburg, and who was sentenced to 10 years at hard labor on the public works of the county under a verdict of manslaughter, made his escape from the chaingang early Sunday night and no trace of him has yet been found.

The gang is now located near Chaplins and early after night fall Miller was missed and it is not known in what direction he went.

It is not clear just how he made his escape. It is very evident that he was not secured as convicts are expected to be. A reward will probably be offered for his capture by the authorities.

This is one of the several murder cases tried here before Judge Purdy in October, 1904. It was at this court that Clarence Thraill and Wis. Andrews were also tried. Appeals were taken in all these cases but in every instance the lower court was sustained.

The remittitur in the Miller case was handed down on the 10th of March this year and he commenced work on the chaingang a few days thereafter. Only about two months of his 10-year sentence has been served.

Sion Miller is a young white man about 25 years of age, probably 5 feet 10 inches in height, has light hair, will weigh 160 pounds and is said to have an ulcer or running sore on one of his legs.

Mr. Jesse Turner, an aged Confederate veteran, the years of whose long life have been spent in this immediate vicinity, died at the home of his son near Johnston Sunday. He was buried at Red Bank Baptist church in this town this afternoon. Most of the service rendered by him as a soldier was around Charles on, where the old men were sent to keep the Yankees out.

LATER NEWS.

Saluda, May 23--Sion Miller, the ten year white convict, who made his escape from the county chaingang Sunday night was found last night at the home of his father on South street and today was carried back to the chaingang.

A reward of \$50 had been offered for his capture and Jack McCarty is the winner. Last night he went over to Miller's father's and found the young man quietly at home. He made no effort to get away; in fact, McCarty did not take Miller into custody at all, but went back to his home telling Miller he would call for him this morning. Miller did not fancy the idea of going back to the chaingang but finally agreed that he would go back if McCarty would take him. Upon McCarty's return this morning he found the young man awaiting him.

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LEESVILLE.

Mr. Elbert Riser of Dupont spent last Sunday in town.

Mrs. William Shealy of Delmar, was in town Tuesday.

Prof. Balm Riser who has been teaching at Mt. Pleasant, N. C., came home last Friday.

Misses Bessie and Kate Hudgens, of Honca Path visited Mrs. H. A. Meetze this week.

Mrs. Wessinger, of Summit was in town shopping Tuesday.

Mrs. Effie Wright of Richmond, Va. is visiting Mrs. James Crosson.

Miss Mamie Bates of Batesburg visited Mrs. H. A. Meetze, Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. Hare preached at the Baptist Church Sunday night for Rev. Bass.

Miss Pearl Padgett has been at home for some time on account of measles but we are glad to see her back at school again.

Mrs. Coney left Wednesday for her new home, also Mrs. Griffith. Mrs. Coney has many friends in Leesville who are very sorry to see her move away and she will always find a hearty welcome on her return here.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Vinsant were in town shopping last Saturday. Mr. John C. Coughman and daughter, Miss Gertrude were in town last Saturday.

Mrs. Groseclose and little son Paul went down to Bath last Saturday to visit Miss Hattie Groseclose who is teaching school there.

LAI D OUT FOR BURIAL WOMAN STILL ALIVE

PAINT CRY WARNS FRIENDS AND FUNERAL PUT OFF

Middleboro, Mass., May 19--While the body of Mrs. Bertha Haskins wife of John A. Haskins, who was believed to have died late yesterday afternoon was being prepared for burial to-day she suddenly revived and uttered a faint cry. The funeral arrangements were called off and Mrs. Haskins may yet recover.

The woman, who has pneumonia, is living with the family of William Nichols, on Oak street.

During her illness she was attended by Dr. T. S. Hodgson of South Main Street, and the nurse, Mrs. T. F. Claverly, were greatly surprised when the woman thought dead was found to be alive. Her breathing had ceased it was said and there was no perceptible action of the heart--Augusta Tribune.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this method of thanking our many friends for the kind words of loving sympathy during our son, McFall's illness. May the Lord abundantly bless each and every one of them. We are happy to say our son is improving every day, and we earnestly trust he will soon be restored to health.

Sincerely,
Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Ridgell.

Four car loads of cotton seed hulls have just been received. Full supply on hand at all times.

F. Kennerly at E. R. Steadman's

RIDGE SPRING.

Last Saturday Col. R. B. Watson, and Mr. J. W. Seigler were elected School Trustees.

The Commencement sermon of the Ridge Spring Graded school was preached on Sunday morning at the Baptist Church by Rev. G. B. Moore, D. D. of the University of South Carolina.

It was a great and elegant discourse commending the profound attention of the large congregation.

The closing exercises of the school were conducted at the auditorium on Monday night, Mr. E. D. Smith, of the Jotton Association was to make the address was taken quite sick after reaching here and could not be present.

There was excellent music rendered by pupils, the honor roll was read, and prizes awarded, an effective address was made by Col. R. B. Watson, chairman of the board of trustees.

The Faculty of the School, Mr. Corbett, Miss Sloan and Miss Carlisle have been re-elected for the ensuing year.

Mrs. M. E. Pagett who suffered a stroke of paralysis ten days ago is slowly improving and hopes are entertained of her ultimate recovery.

Mr. Hoyd Kirkland will erect at once a brick store in place of the frame building that was burned.

Mrs. Zimmerman Davis, of Charleston has been here on a short visit in the home of Col. R. B. Watson.

Miss Marvin Quattlebaum has been called to Columbia by the serious illness of her sister.